

**AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend paragraph [0001] with the following amendments illustrated in the replacement paragraph:

[0001] The subject matter of this application is related to the subject matter of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/608,192, Attorney Docket No. MS#303129.01/MFCP.103653, entitled “SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MESSAGE-BASED SCALABLE DATA TRANSPORT”, filed ~~[[of]]~~ on even date with this application, having the same inventor as this application, assigned or under obligation of assignment to the same entity as this application, and which application is incorporated by reference herein.